



RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR.1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE?
EXAMINING GROUP : 1755

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT OFFICE

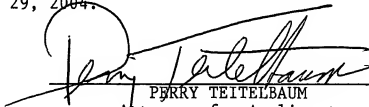
Applicants : DR. HEINRICH LIEVER,
DR. HANS-JURGEN KLISCHAT and
HOLGER WIRSING
Serial No. : 10/083,989
Filed : February 26, 2002
For : REFRACTORY SHAPED BODY WITH
INCREASED ALKALI RESISTANCE
Examiner : KARL GROUP

Attorney
Docket No. :
M 5329 US

Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Honorable Sir:

I hereby certify that this Second Amendment After Final Rejection for U. S. Patent Serial No. 10/083,989 is being deposited with the U. S. Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P. O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450 on March 29, 2004.


PERRY TEITELBAUM
Attorney for Applicants
Registration No. 25,095
(718) 643-0400

Dated: March 29, 2004

SECOND AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Responsive to a Final Office Letter, dated October 29, 2003, wherein a REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME of two (2) months with the required Non-Small-Entity full fee of \$420.00 is being forwarded